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1. ☒ The amendment filed on <u>04 January 2007</u> under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

   a) ☒   entered.

   b) ☐   entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

   c) ☐   disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

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        and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

   d) ☐   disapproved. See explanation below.

   e) ☐   entered in part. See explanation below.

The amendment filed 1/4/07 is entered and it does not affect the scope of the claimed invention because the invention is primarily based on the usage of the OOP objects as per the claimed subject matter of the claims utilizing the OOP objects, i.e., instantiating a feature object embodying the compiled respresentation, instantiating a context object that maintain information regarding a present state of the call feature or service, the context object signalling the feature object, passing notification to the context object, etc., are necessary for the claimed invention to be implemented.

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